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SCS PASS:MR.ALEKSANDER BOSIAK, 514 WILLIAM STREET, UTICA,  
NEW YORK TELEPHONE 732-0147. (AREA CODE UNKNOWN)

EO 11652 NA  
TAGS: CDES, PL (BARTUS, FRANK)  
SUBJECT: DEATH OF AMCIT FRANK BARTUS

1. DEEPLY REGRET INFORM YOU LOCAL AUTHORITIES CONFIRM YOUR  
FRIEND FRANK BARTUS DIED APRIL 10, 1978 AT 4 P.M. IN  
KRYNICA ,POLAND OF NATURAL CAUSES. HE APPARENTLY WAS HOSPI-  
TALIZED SINCE MARCH 28: HOSPITAL BILLS SHOULD BE MODERATE,  
PROBABLY LESS THAN FOUR HUNDRED US DOLLARS.
2. POLISH GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS REQUIRE BURIAL OR OTHER DISPO-  
SAL REMAINS WITHIN 72 HOURS OF DEATH. OPTIONS: LOCAL BURIAL  
(COST TO YOU ABOUT 900 US DOLLARS) OR TRANSPORTATION OF  
REMAINS TO US (APPROXIMATELY 4,000 DOLLARS TO NEW YORK,  
INCLUDING PREPARATION),. IN EITHER CASE, US FUNERAL HOME OF  
NEXT OF KIN S CHOICE SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CONTACT BIURO OPIEKI  
NAD GROBAMI OBCOKRAJOWCOW (BONGO) ULICA MYSIA 2/4, WARSAW,  
POLAND, PHONE WARSAW 292-042. ANY DELAY YOUR RESPONSE COULD  
CAUSE COMPLICATIONS, MORE EXPENSE.
3. COPY OFFICIAL REPORT OF DEATH WILL BE COMPLETED AND FORWARDED  
TO NOK AT ABOVE ADDRESS. PLEASE AGAIN ACCEPT MY SINCEREST  
CONDOLENCES. NUEL L.PAZDRAL, AMERICAN CONSUL.

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4. FOR DEPARTMENT: CONSULATE UNDERSTANDS THAT BARTUS S MOTHER  
IS NINETY ONE YEARS OLD, IN POOR HEALTH, HOSPITALIZED.POLISH  
RELATIVES (COUSINS) HAVE ASKED THAT NOTIFICATION BE PASSED TO  
BOSIAK WHO CAN RELAY MESSAGE THROUGH ATTENDING PHYSICIAN  
TO MOTHER. BARTUS HAS TWO ADULT DAUGHTERS (ADDRESSES UNKNOWN).  
UNDERSTAND FROM POLISH RELATIVES THAT BOSIAK WILL ALSO HAVE

ADDRESSES FOR THE DAUGHTERS.

5. ALTHOUGH TECHNICALLY AGAINST GOP REGULATIONS,POLISH COUSINS  
CAN ARRANGE FOR A LOCAL FUNERAL WHICH WILL COST APPROXI-  
MATELY 411 US DOLLARS.IF THIS OPTION IS PURSUED,IT WILL,  
HOWEVER, BE VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO SECURE PERMISSION AT A  
LATER DATE FROM GOP TO EXHUME REMAINS AND SEND THEM TO US.  
PAZDRAL

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